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Town Officers.

ORA A. BROWN, Town Clerk.

FRANK H. LEAVITT,
ALBERT L. SMITH,
RICHARD F. SANBORN, } Selectmen.

ORA A. BROWN, Treasurer.

MOSES W. SHAPLEIGH, Collector of Taxes.

FRANCIS M. HUGHES, Overseer of the Poor.

LUCY A. DEARBORN, Librarian.

NATHANIEL L. GREENLEAF, Janitor of Town Hall.

WILLIAM P. NORRIS, Highway Surveyor in Dist. No. 1.

A. R. GAREY, M. D., Health Officer.

GEORGE B. STEVENS,
HENRY MORSE,
GEORGE F. DOW, } Constables.

WILLIAM BRETHRICK,
JAMES F. HUCKINS,
ALBERT E. PORTER, } Auditors.

DEXTER SANBORN,
CHARLES S. WOODMAN,
JOHN M. JACKSON, } Supervisors.

Selectmens' Report.

INVENTORY OF THE TOWN OF ASHLAND, APRIL, 1, 1890.

No. Polls, 328,	$32,800 00
" Horses, 198,	17,380 00
" Oxen, 30,	1,250 00
" Cows, 243,	5,288 00
" Neat Stock, 85,	1,318 00
" Sheep, 121,	384 00
" Hogs, 1,	16 00
" Fowls, 660,	264 00
" Carriages, 26,	1,614 00
Bank Stock,	14,000 00
Interest Money,	5,800 00
Stock in Trade,	36,636 00
Mills and Machinery,	49,200 00
Real Estate,	267,940 00
Non Resident,	4,555 00
Total Valuation,	$438,445 00

MONEY RAISED.

State Tax,	$1,150 00
County "	945 00
School Money,	805 00
Extra School Tax Dis. No. 1,	700 00
Insurance on School House,	160 00
Money to pay Ambrose Scribner's Note,	134 40
Extra School Tax Dis. No. 2,	100 00
School House repairs Dis. No. 2,	50 00
Highway Tax,	750 00
Town Expenses,	500 00
Memorial Day,	50 00
Culvert in Calley District,	350 00
5 per cent. Overlay,	229 39
Total Am't Raised,	$5,923 79

Rate per cent. for Money, $11.80 per $1,000
" " " " Highways, $1.80 " "

SELECTMEN'S ACCOUNT.

RECEIVED.

Cash of Rail Road Co., 1 street lamp,	$ 2 00
A. C. Ladd, rent of tomb to May 1, '90,	2 00
Grafton county, support of county poor,	278 50
Louis Brooks, billiard license,	10 00
O. D. Thompson, 2 lamps and posts,	4 50
Joseph Blair, 3 street lamps,	6 75
Town of New Hampton, 6 street lamps,	12 00
Charles Woodman, use road machine,	3 00
Grafton county, support of county poor,	44 14
State treasurer,	397 93
A. E. Peaslee, 1 street lamp,	2 00

Cash of Town of New Hampton, 3 street lamps,	6 00
O. D. Thompson, 1 street lamp and post,	2 25
S. L. Holmes, 1 " "	2 00
Louis Brooks, billiard license,	10 00
Wardens St. Mark's Church, for fence,	27 00
A. E. Porter, rent of Town Hall,	3 00
Ashland Savings Bank, money hired to pay for school books,	400 00
N. L. Greenleaf, rent of Town Hall,	31 39
Mt. Prospect Lodge, for rent of hall,	50 00
Total,	$1294 46

PAYMENT.

Paid Town treasurer,	$1294 46

CURRENT EXPENSES.

Paid J. F. Huckins, services as auditor,	$ 1 00
E. C. Eastman, blank books,	6 25
R. R. D. Dearborn, 350 town reports,	33 58
A. R. Garey, services as auditor,	1 00
L. A. Dearborn, expenses to Manchester to buy books,	4 92
J. F. Huckins, treasurer, 50 electric street lights one quarter,	125 00
R. R. D. Dearborn, juror blanks,	1 50
Francis M. Hughes, insurance on Town Hall 3 years,	80 00
R. F. Sanborn, Memomial Day appropriation,	50 00
R. F. Sanborn, past services selectman,	15 00
Dexter Sanborn, services as supervisor,	5 00
Hughes & Brown, 20 feet 8 inch drain pipe,	4 57
G. F. Dow, services as police to July 5, '90,	13 20
Pollard, Hardy & Brown, school books, for Dist. No. 1,	419 59

Paid J. F. Huckins, treasurer, 50 electric street lights one quarter,	125	00
Albert L. Smith, part services selectman,	25	00
Francis M. Hughes, services as treasurer,	10	00
Mrs. Elizabeth Ladd, ground for base ball games,	10	00
Jonathan Peaslee, light 4th July night,	1	00
R. R. D. Dearborn, 30 checklists and blank certificates,	7	00
J. F. Huckins, treasurer, 50 electric street lights one quarter,	125	00
Mrs. Ashworth, keeping tramps,	6	25
J. M. Jackson, services as supervisor,	10	00
C. S. Woodman, " " "	10	00
R. F. Sanborn, services as selectman,	12	25
Jacob Peaslee, services as janitor for Town Hall,	2	90
Albert E. Porter, blank book, paper, envelopes, etc.,	1	30
A. R. Garey, M. D., reporting 9 deaths, 7 births,	4	00
M. C. Spaulding, M. D., reporting 5 deaths, 7 births,	3	00
Henry C. Dearborn, services as moderator,	4	00
Dexter Sanborn, services as supervisor,	5	00
O. D. Thompson, oil, pipe and labor for library,	1	93
J. F. Huckins, treasurer, 60 electric street lights one quarter	150	00
Ashland Savings Bank, note and interest,	404	00
Oliver Merchant, interest on money,	1	03
G. F. Dow, services as police to Mar. 1, '91,	12	75
Francis M. Hughes, services as overseer of the poor,	30	00

Paid Pollard, Hardy & Brown, wood for town library,	1 53
Pollard, Hardy & Brown, school books for Dist. No. 1,	47 65
J. M. Cheney, M. D., returning births and deaths,	1 50
W. F. Harris, services as police,	4 00
Ambrose Scribner, rent of library room,	24 00
N. L. Greenleaf, moving lamp posts,	3 00
L. A. Dearborn, services as librarian,	50 00
R. R. D. Dearborn, supplies for library	85
Ora A. Brown, services as town treasuer,	15 00
Ora A. Brown, services as town clerk,	50 00
Edwin P. Smith, sheep damage,	3 00
Fremont D. Eastman, school books for Dist. No. 2,	15 50
Fremont D. Eastman, services on school board for 3 years,	15 00
Mrs. E. A. Leavitt, copying inventory for town and county,	10 00
R. F. Sanborn, services as selectman,	12 75
A. L. Smith, " " "	15 00
F. H. Leavitt, " " "	95 00
F. H. Leavitt, expense to Concord,	1 75
M. W. Shapleigh, salary as collector,	100 00
Total,	$2187 55

ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Paid Paul Perkins, fitting and setting stone,	$ 9 00
Thomas H. Cox, labor on highway, Dist. No. 2,	3 00
J. F. Keyes, land damage new street,	50 00
Henry H. Shepard, lumber for bridges, Dist. No. 1,	42 80
Smith J. Sanborn, labor on road, Pease Dist,	1 50
Frank R. Cross, iron and labor for Dist. No. 1,	8 51
Enoch Cosins, bridge plank for Dist. No. 2,	14 46
J. Hadlock, edge for road machine,	9 00
F. H. Leavitt, work on new street and cash paid out,	11 55
Benning E. Plaisted, land damage new street,	1 00
Thomas H. Cox, labor on new street, self and cattle,	21 00
Smith J. Sanborn, labor on culvert, Pease Dist.	2 00
Otto Willoughby, labor on new street, self and cattle,	9 00
H. H. Shepard, bridge plank,	9 44
R. L. Howe, paint and labor on bridge railing,	21 25
John B. Carr, breaking road to Feb. 9, '91,	16 00
D. C. Worthen, surveying new street,	3 00
Elliot D. Hall, breaking roads,	11 00
W. F. Harris, breaking roads,	1 00
J. Irving Brown, labor on highway,	4 71
M. C. Blake, blasting and removing stone in Dist. No. 1,	5 00
Total,	$254 22

MONEY PAID OUT FOR SIDEWALKS AND LIBRARY.

Paid L. A. Dearborn, for library books,	$ 100 00
S. A. Howard, for concrete sidewalks,	2324 38
Caleb L. Boucher, grading sidewalks,	10 70
G. L. Carr, " "	3 75
Caleb A. Huckins, " "	14 50
Samuel Goss, " "	4 50
Henry S. Lyford, " "	3 07
J. W. Lowd, " "	6 00
Thomas H. Cox, " "	108 88
Oliver Merchant, note,	150 00
F. H. Leavitt, self and team, and cash paid out grading sidewalks,	59 79
R. F. Sanborn, cash paid, grading sidewalks,	7 13
Total,	$2792 70

MONEY RECEIVED ON NOTES GIVEN BY THE SELECTMEN FOR SIDEWALKS AND LIBRARY.

Mary A. Chase,	$ 600 00
Georgiana E. Stevens,	500 00
Rena S. Greenleaf,	200 00
Oliver Merchant,	150 00
Jonathan Peaslee,	150 00
Henry M. Smith,	1000 00
Henry Noyes,	150 00

MONEY CONTRIBUTED FOR SIDEWALKS.

W. P. Norris,	12 00
F. L. Hughes,	2 25
George B. Gordon,	10 45
R. R. D. Dearborn,	8 00
Alvin F. Nichols,	5 00
George W. Andrews,	5 00
Total,	$2792 70

PAID FOR EDUCATION.

D. N. Pollard, treasurer Dist. No. 1,	
School money,	$1540 21
Pollard, Hardy & Brown, 26 1-2 cords wood school Dist. No. 1,	99 38
David N. Pollard, insurance on schoolhouse,	160 00
Ambrose Scribner, note given by school Dist. No. 1,	134 40
Dist. No. 2,	
Fremont D. Eastman, school money,	169 79
Willis H. Calley, " "	149 79
F. H. Leavitt, repair money,	50 00
Total,	$2303 57

The above amount was obtained from the following sources:

	School Money,	*Repair Money,*	*Literary Fund,*	*Total,*
Dist. 1,	$1456 97	$294 40	$182 62	$1933 99
" 2,	228 28	50 00	91 30	369 58
Totals,	$1685 25	$344 40	$273 92	$2303 57

Report of Overseer of the Poor.

AID FURNISHED COUNTY POOR.

Paid A. R. Garey, M. D., medical attendance upon a son of Frank Garland,	$ 9 50
Hughes & Brown, supplies furnished D. B. Baker and Mrs. Higgins,	5 05
A. R. Garey, M. D., medical attendance upon Mrs. Higgins,	17 25
A. R. Garey, M. D., medical attendance upon Mrs. Higgins,	7 50

Paid Hughes & Brown, goods delivered to D. B. Baker,	11 89
Benjamin Leavitt, digging grave for John Mascott's child,	1 50
A. C. Ladd, coffin and box for John Mascott's child,	6 00
Henry Morrison, 6 week's board, Lucy S. Eastman,	6 00
A. R. Garey, M. D., setting and attendance right arm, Higgins child,	20 00
J. M. Cheney, M. D., care of Mrs. Tucker,	8 00
Henry Morrison, 5 week's board, Lucy S. Eastman,	5 00
Albert E. Porter, medicine delivered to Mrs. Higgins,	7 58
Albert E. Porter, medicine delivered to Hammel,	19 37
Albert E. Porter, medicine delivered to Mascott,	5 30
Albert E. Porter, medicine delivered to J. Peavey family,	15 73
A. J. B. Cummings, meat furnished Calvin Hammel,	12 04
T. H. Cox, chopping wood for D. B. Baker,	8 00
D. S. Baker, wood delivered to James Peavey,	4 00
Albert E. Porter, goods delivered to Mrs. Orin Darling,	1 10
Benj. Deane, 1-2 cord of wood for James Peavey,	2 00
Benj. Deane, drawing 8 cords of wood for D. B. Baker,	4 80
O. D. Thompson, supplies furnished J. Peavey,	3 25

Paid F. M. Hughes, cash paid for the care of Napoleon Tonyer,	9 50
John S. Drew, goods for James Peavey,	50
Henry Morrison, board for Lucy S. Eastman,	4 00
Pollard, Hardy & Brown, goods for Napoleon Tonyer,	1 50
Pollard, Hardy & Brown, goods for Mascott family,	5 25
Pollard, Hardy & Brown, goods for James Peavey,	30
Pollard, Hardy & Brown, goods for George W. Davis,	5 53
Henry Morrison, board for Lucy S. Eastman,	4 00
F. P. Annis, care of Napoleon Tonyer,	1 00
Samuel Blanchard, rent for James Peavey,	10 00
Eliza Leavitt, care of Mascott family,	25 00
H. H. Shepard, half cord of wood for Calvin Hammel,	75
Elizabeth L. Mitchell, rent for Calvin Hammel,	10 96
Albert E. Porter, supplies for George W. Davis,	1 45
William Bateman, milk for G. W. Davis,	85
H. H. Shepard, 1-2 cord of wood for G.W.Davis,	75
Hughes & Brown, goods for George W. Davis,	3 85
Hughes & Brown, goods for D. B. Baker,	10 14
Hughes & Brown, goods for Calvin Hammel,	17 25
Hughes & Brown, goods for Charles Mascott,	16 02
Hughes & Brown, goods for James Peavey,	20 49
Hughes & Brown, goods for Napoleon Tonyer,	12 15
A. R. Garey, M. D., medical attendance upon George W. Davis,	35 25
Total,	$377 35

AID FURNISHED TOWN POOR.

Paid Sylvia Smith, for board of Gilbert Smith from Jan. 29, '90, to April 30, '90,	$26 00

SOLDIERS' AID.

Paid Thomas C. Peaslee,	$12 00
" " "	12 00
" " "	12 00
" " "	12 00
" " "	12 00
" " "	12 00
" " "	12 00
" " "	12 00
" " "	12 00
" " "	12 00
" " "	10 00
Total, Feb. 14, '90, to Dec. 31, '90,	$130 00

OUTSTANDING CLAIMS.

Paid Treasurer F. W. B. society, use of vestry hall by the selectmen, 1889,	$ 4 00
A. E. Porter, cash paid Mrs. Ashworth, keeping tramps,	3 00
A. E. Porter, 1 table for library room,	1 50
G. F. Dow, services as police, his balance of account, 1889,	4 75
W. B. Smith, labor on highway 1889–90,	12 00
John H. Eastman, breaking road February and March, 1890,	3 00
C. H. Sanborn, labor on highway, May, 1889,	10 00
Total,	$38 25

RECAPITULATION.

Outstanding claims,	$ 38 25
Current expenses,	2187 55
Roads and bridges,	254 22
Sidewalks,	2792 70
School money,	2303 57
County poor,	377 35
Town poor,	26 00
Soldiers' aid,	130 00
Total,	$8109 64

Treasurers' Report.

Francis M. Hughes in account with the town of Ashland,

	Dr.
To balance from last year,	$ 255 62
Cash of wardens of St. Mark's Parish,	27 00
Janitor of Town Hall,	3 00
Concord & Montreal R. R. for lamps,	2 00
Mary Chase for note,	600 00
for rent of tomb to May 1, '90,	2 00
County of Grafton for support of paupers to date,	278 50
Georgiana E. Stevens for note,	500 00
Rena S. Greenleaf on note,	200 00
Oliver Merchant on note,	150 00
Jonathan Peaslee on note,	150 00
Louis Brooks for billiard license,	10 00
Henry Smith on note,	1000 00
Wm. P. Norris for sidewalk,	12 00
Frank L Hughes for work of oxen,	2 25
R. F. Sanborn for lamps,	12 00
F. H. Leavitt for sidewalks and lamps,	11 95
Ashland Savings Bank on note,	400 00
R. R. D. Dearborn for sidewalk,	8 00
F. H. Leavitt for old street lamps,	6 75
Moses W. Shapleigh, collector,	1910 00
Total,	$5541 07

	Cr.	
By paid outstanding orders,	$ 97 40	
R. F. Sanborn's amount appropriated for Memorial Day,	50 00	
Oliver Merchant on note,	150 00	
" " int. " "	1 03	
Ambrose Scribner on note,	120 00	
" " int. " "	14 40	
on order of selectmen to and including Aug. 22d,	4550 04	
Ora A. Brown, treasurer, Aug. 22d,	558 20	
Total,		$5541 07

FRANCIS M. HUGHES, Treasurer.

Ora A. Brown in account with the town of Ashland,

	Dr.	
To cash of F. M. Hughes, Treas.	$ 558 20	
F. H. Leavitt, use of road machine	3 00	
" " billiard license,	10 00	
" " on sidewalk account,	5 00	
" " pauper account,	44 14	
" " lamps sold,	15 25	
" " use of Town Hall,	31 39	
" " sidewalk account,	5 00	
" " rent Masonic Hall,	50 00	
Henry Noyes, note given,	150 00	
S. A. Carter, insurance tax,	3 00	
" " Railroad tax,	75 84	
" " Savings Bank tax,	1195 17	
" " literary funds,	273 92	
M. W. Shapleigh, collector,	3270 02	
Total,		$5689 93

	Cr.	
By paid county tax,	$ 945 00	
State "	1150 00	
Selectmen's orders,	3268 17	
Cash in hand of treasurer,	326 76	
Total,		$5689 93

STANDING OF THE TOWN MAR. 1, 1891.

ASSETS.

Due from the county,	$318 66
Cash on hand,	326 76
Total,	$645 42

LIABILITIES.

Amount appropriated for water works,	50 00
" " " rebuilding water course near W. H. Calley's,	350 00
Total,	$245 42
Amount borrowed for building sidewalks,	$2500 00
" for town library,	100 00
Interest on the same to Mar. 1, '91,	72 45
Total,	$2672 45

ORA A. BROWN, Treasurer.

SETTLEMENT WITH THE COLLECTOR.

Moses W. Shapleigh, collector for 1890,		Dr.
To state, county, town, school and schoolhouse taxes,		$5123 57
Non-resident money tax,		53 76
" " highway "		8 21
Dog tax,		117 00
Interest collected,		8 95
Uncollected highway tax for 1889,		54 93
Total,		$5366 42
	Cr.	
By Abatements,	$ 85 79	
Discounts,	96 74	
Non-resident highway tax worked out,	3 87	
Treasurer's receipts,	5180 02	
Total,		$5366 42

Janitor's Report.

N. L. Greenleaf,		Dr.
Amount received for rent of Hall,		$152 25
	Cr.	
By paid for electric lights,	$ 38 26	
Treasurer,	15 00	
Hughes & Brown,	11 96	
O. D. Thompson,	60	
W. P. Norris,	2 28	
R. L. Howe,	50	
for sawing and putting in wood,	1 80	
" thread and making curtains for stage,	50	
" drawing sawdust,	75	
" pitcher and goblet,	38	
" hooks and eyes,	08	
Janitor's fee,	63 75	
Cash on hand	16 39	
Total,		$152 25

Librarian's Report.

Received of town treasurer,		$100 00
Zelda Felch, use of books,		50
E. E. Ellis, same privilege,		1 05
E. Huckins, " "		25
Inez Heath, " "		25
Eddie Sanborn, damage to book,		25
Those owing fines,		4 86
Total,		$107 16
Paid for 114 books (new),	$96 95	
Rebinding 29 old books,	9 06	
Freight on rebound books,	37	
Stationery, postage, mucilage, ink, matches, etc., use in library,	78	
Total,		$107 16

No. of books in library, not including public documents, Mar. 1, '90, 1420
Books, Mar. 1, '91, 1534

L. A. Dearborn, Librarian.

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing reports and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

J. F. Huckins, } Auditors of the
A. E. Porter, } town of Ashland.

Report of the Board of Education.

DISTRICT NO. 1, FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 1, 1891.

PRIMARY DEPARTMENT.

Teacher, 1st term, Miss Grace T. Bailey; 2d and 3d terms, Miss Lulu M. Bryant:

Whole No. of different pupils registered	94
Average daily attendance	55
Perfect attendance	45
Total visits by parents, citizens and others	88

INTERMEDIATE DEPARTMENT.

Teacher, Miss Susan M. Mann:	
Whole No. of different pupils registered	45
Average daily attendance	35
Perfect attendance	36
Total visits by parents, citizens and others	67

LOWER GRAMMAR DEPARTMENT.

Teacher, Miss McDaniel:	
Whole No. of different pupils registered	39
Average daily attendance	30
Perfect attendance	15
Total visits by parents, citizens and others	77

HIGHER GRAMMAR DEPARTMENT.

Teacher, Frederick E. Clark:	
Whole No. of different pupils registered	34
Average daily attendance	22
Perfect attendance	18
Total visits by parents, citizens and others	172

SUMMARY.

Whole No. of different pupils registered	212
Average daily attendance	140
Perfect attendance	114
Total visits by parents, citizens and others	404
Length of schools in weeks	32
Total receipts	$1925 53
Amount of money expended	1818 04
Average expense per scholar	$8 57

The following pupils have not been tardy or absent during the year:—Archie Bickford, Edith Cass, Laura Dooley, Arthur Fifield, Florence Harriman, May Little, Henry Peaslee.

The Board of Education in submitting their annual report are pleased to say that excellent progress has been made in each department of our schools, and that each department has attained a position that should be pleasing to the friends of education, to parents, guardians and citizens. The fact that 404 visits were made during the year indicates an increasing interest in the schools. The teachers have been painstaking, the scholars studious with few exceptions. The school-rooms

are well supplied with charts, maps, globes and blackboards. Yaggy's Astronomical and Geographical chart has been purchased the last year. We congratulate the parents and citizens upon the prosperous condition of the school.

S. C. Baker, Secretary of the Board.

Report of the School Board.

1st term.—Taught by Rosa R. Sanborn. Whole number of weeks, 12; scholars, 10; average attendance, 10; not absent, 5; wages paid teacher per month, $22.

2d term.—Taught by Rosa R. Sanborn. No. of weeks, 9; scholars, 10; average attendance, 10; not absent, 3: wages paid teacher per month, $24.

3d term.—Taught by Rosa R. Sanborn. No. of weeks, 10; scholars, 10; average attendance, 9; not absent, 2; wages paid teacher per month, $24.

Our schools have been, we think, very prosperous for the past year, which we are all glad to see, hoping for a continuance of the same.

W. H. Calley.

Spring term:—This term was commenced by Miss Etta Worthen but sickness compelled her to give up the school and it was finished by Miss Margaret Donovan. This was a very successful term.

Fall term.—Taught by Miss Margaret Donovan. Quite a successful term.

Winter term.—Taught by Miss Carrie M. Dalton. She is an excellent teacher.

No. of visitors, 1st term, 23; 2d term, 20; 3d term, 11.

Roll of Honor.—1st term, Frank Eastman. 2d term, Orrin Amsden, Burley Drew, Clyde Eastman, Frank Eastman, Lulu Sanborn, Roxy Sanborn. 3d term.—Madge Pease, Marian Pease, John B. Wadleigh.

No. of pupils, spring term, 22; fall term, 26; winter term, 19.

F. D. Eastman.

Births registered in the town of Ashland for the year ending December 31, 1890.

Date of Birth. 1890.	Name of Child (if any).	Male or Female	Living or Stillborn.	No. of Child, 1st, 2d, &c.	Color	Name of Father.	Maiden name of Mother.	Color.	Residence of Parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.
Mar. 16	No Name.	F.	Living.	3	W.	Louis N. Smythe	Nellie Herbert	W.	Ashland.	Merchant	North Carolina	Rumney
" 17			"	5		Smith J. Sanborn			"	Farmer	Campton	Holderness
Apr. 8		M.	"	5		Truffy Bashaw			"	Mill operative	Canada	W Chelmsfd Ms
" 20		F.	"	7		Napoleon Carter			"	" "	"	Canada
May 16		M.	"	1		Louis B. Brooks	Rosa B. Boucher		"	Barber	Hookset	Rumney
" 19	GladysM'Crillis	F.	"	1		Curtis McCrillis			"	Mill operative	Meredith	St.Johnsb'y, Vt.
June 27		"	"	3		Elbridge G. Nichols	Evelyn C. Clarke		"	" "	Abbot, Me.	Campton
July 2	E.E. M'Sweeny	"	"	1		John McSweeney	Sophie Frame		"	Spinner	Franklin	Lynn, Mass.
" 18		"	"	5		Charles A. Eastman	Laura E. Perkins		"	Farmer	Holderness	Holderness
Aug. 22		M.	"	2		Dana W. Carey	Martha Smith		"	Merchant	Jay, Vt.	"
Oct. 16		"	"	3		Anson H. Jewell	Emma L. Wallace		"	Paper maker	Belmont	Thornton
Nov. 5		"	"	2		Walter Shepard	Clara E. Elliott		"	Mill hand	Holderness	"
" 14		F.	"	1		Walter B. Clifford	Elmie J. Swett		"	Teamster	Manchester	Plymouth
Dec. 5	Rosa Guiett	"	"	2		Peter Guiett	Emma Hill		"	Laborer	Canada	Canada
" 5	Annie Guiett	"	"	3		Peter Guiett	Emma Hill		"	"	"	"

Marriages registered in the town of Ashland for the year ending December 31, 1890.

Date of marr'ge 1890.	Place of Marriage.	Name and surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age in years.	Color of each.	Occupation of each.	Place of birth.	Names of Parents.	Occupation.	1st, 2d or 3d marriage.	Name, residence, and official station of person by whom married.
Jan. 19	Plymouth	Walter B. Clifford	Ashland.	23	W.	Leath'r Brd Mfr	Hookset	Blanchard Clifford		1	Roscoe Sanderson,
		Elinor J. Swett	Plymouth.	21			Plymouth.	Sylvester Swett	R. R. employe	1	Clergy., Plymouth
Feb. 16	Ashland.	Willie J. Raymo	Ashland.	20		Spinner.	Haverhill.	George Raymo		1	E. C. Clark,
		Nettie A. Nudd	"	18		Housekeeper	Centre Harbor	Enos Nudd		1	Clergy., Ashland
Mar. 21	"	Louis B. Brooks	"	21		Barber	Hookset	John Brooks		1	Lorin Webster,
		Rosa Boucher	Tilton	20		Dressmaker	Tilton	Ralph Boucher	Contractor	1	Clergy., Ashland
Apr. 24	"	Clarence D. Russell	Ashland	21		Shipping Clerk	Holderness.	John M. Russell	Tanner	1	E. C. Clark,
		Addie V. Clough	"	17			Ashland.	Levi Clough	Carpenter	1	Clergy., Ashland
May 14	,,	Augustin Gague	"	25		Mill hand	St. Joseph, Can.	Joseph Gague	Farmer	1	T. W. Coakley,
		Almada Boucilla	"	15		" "	St. Bridget, "	Octave Boucilla	Laborer	1	Clergy., Ashland
" 28	"	Fred D. Foster	"	19		" "	Laconia.	Philip Foster	"	1	T. W. Coakley,
		Mary LeValley	"	19		" "	DesRoyalty, Ca.	John LeValley	"	1	Clergy., Ashland
July 12	"	John P. Peaslee	"	30		" "	Holderness.	Aquilla E. Peaslee	Mill operative	2	E. C. Clark,
		Jennie Gyott	"	19		" "	Waterloo, Can.	Louis Gyott	Farmer	1	Clergy., Ashland
" 20	"	William J. Noon	"	23		" "	Lowell, Mass.	William Noon		1	T. W. Coakley,
		Hannah Hill	"	19		" "	Canada	Joseph Hill	Mill operative	1	Clergy., Ashland
" 26	"	Willie Crane	"	19		Knitter	Dalton	Lovell Crane	Moulder	1	E. C. Clark,
		Jennie Goddard	"	19		Seamer	Lisbon, Me.	Hiram M. Goddard	Carder	1	Clergy., Ashland
Sept. 13	Meredith Centre	Charles L. Small	"	21		Farmer.	Lake Village	Aquilla Small		1	David Calley,
		Susie M. Drake	N. Hampt'n	25		Housekeeper	New Hampton	Joseph S. Drake		1	Cler., Meredith Cen
Oct. 5	Ashland.	Frank S. Smith	Ashland	40		Mill hand	Holderness	John A. Smith		2	E. C. Clark,
		Sadie S. Ames	"	33		Overs'r stch rm	New Hampton	Daniel H. Ames	Farmer	1	Clergy., Ashland
" 25	Laconia	William H. Moody	"	40		Farmer	Enfield	Hezekiah Moody		2	J. H. Haines,
		Amanda A. Brown	Holderness	47		Housekeeper	Holderness	John T. Downing		2	Clergy., Laconia
" 25	Ashland	Charles C. Peaslee	Ashland	22		Mill hand	Ashland	Jacob Peaslee	Mill hand	1	Lorin Webster,
		Emma Carr	"	23		" "	Canada	William Byette	Carpenter	2	Clergy., Ashland
Nov. 1	"	Addison W. Heath	"	23		" "	Holderness	Leroy S. Heath	Mill hand	1	E. C. Clark,
		Flora Leavitt	"	17		" "		Benjamin Leavitt	Laborer	1	Clergy., Ashland
" 15	"	James W. Byett	"	19		Spinner	Hartford, Conn.	William Byette	Carpenter	1	Lorin Webster,
		Emma Mousett	"	19		Weaver	New York	Louis Mousett	"	1	Clergy., Ashland
" 27	Campton	John M. Ames	"	22		Knitter	Campton	John M. Ames	Farmer.	1	Wm. H. Shaw,
		C. Stella Wilkinson	"	18		Seamer	"	Ira Wilkinson	"	1	Clergy., Campton
Dec. 17	Ashland	Hiram A. Marston	So Fram. Ms	25		Chair mfr.	Brunswick, Ga.	Hiram P. Marston	Printer	1	Lorin Webster,
		Carrie A. Scribner	Ashland	28			Holderness	Franklin Scribner		1	Clergy., Ashland
" 25	Laconia	George Gingrass	"	25		Knitter	Canada	Clifford Gingrass		1	J. Lambert,
		Mary E. Gignac	"	17		Footer	"	Edward Gignac	Mill hand	1	Clergy., Laconia
" 31	Ashland	Thomas E. Carr	"	26		Knitter	Jacksonville, Ill	Harrison Carr		2	E. C. Clark,
		Eldora M. Sherburne	N. Hampt'n	19		Mill hand	Farmington		Farmer	1	Clergy., Ashland

Deaths registered in the town of Ashland for the year ending December 31, 1890.

Date of death. 1890.	Name and surname of the deceased.	Age, Years,	Months	Days,	Place of birth,	Sex,	Color,	Single, married or widowed,	Occupation.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Name of Father.	Maiden name of Mother.
Jan. 12	Andrew J. Peaslee					M	W.	S	Laborer				
" 26	Lillie M. Carr	25	9	24	Holderness	F		M	House wife	Holderness	New Hampton	Steph. M. Worthen	Julia Smith
Feb. 3	Delia Landrock	32			Plymouth	"		"		Canada	Canada	Fred Lamond	
Mar. 30	Archie B. Higgins		3	30	Ashland	M		S		Westfield, Vt.	Newport, Vt.	Ernest J. Higgins	Myra J. Brown
Apr. 1	James S. Baker	57	11		Holderness	"		M	Farmer	Holderness	Holderness	Andrew Baker	Sarah Mudgett
" 13	Nancy Drew	78	8	10	Deerfield	F		"	House wife	Deerfield		Parker Chase	Polly Hayes
" 29	Geo. W. Pickering	64			Loudon	M		S	Farmer	Meredith	Loudon	Moses Pickering	Sally Drew
May 18	Geo. W. Williams	74	11		NwLondon, Conn	"		M	Harness maker				
June 23	Daniel Batchelder	71				"		"	Minister & farmer			Benj. Batchelder	Mary Spaulding
" 27	Caleb L. Brooks		1	14	Ashland	"		S		Hookset	Potsdam, N. Y.	Louis B. Brooks	Rosa Boucher
" 28	Persis E. Blake	41	10	20	Holderness	F		M	House wife	Charlestown, Ms.	Bridgewater	Samuel Blanchard	Mary Ann ———
Sept. 19	Grace Deane	67			Ireland	"		W	" "	Ireland	Ireland		
Oct. 23	Leonard P. Clough	69	7	16	Lyman	M		M	Watchmaker		Lyman	Andrew Clough	Susannah Parker
Nov. 3	Mary Flemming	92			Ireland	F		W	House wife	Ireland	Ireland	James Riley	Mary McGreth
" 13	Garrie L. Darling	42	11		Holderness	"		M	" "	Alexandria	Bridgewater	James Corlis	Deborah Spiller
" 15	Susan Thompson	72				"		W	" "				
Dec. 17	Olive Sanborn	82			"	"		"				Thomas Greenleaf	Mary ———
" 20	Nancy B. Plaisted	77	6	10	"	"		M	" "	Meredith	New Hampton	Moses Merrill	Sally Chandler
" 25	Thomas C. Peaslee	57	6	21	"	M		"		Bridgewater	Bridgewater	John B. Peaslee	Abigail Crawford

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ORA A. BROWN, Town Clerk.